

## The Intelligencer.

OFFICE: No. 15 Quincy Street.

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1872.

## Republican State Convention.

The undersigned is directed by the Republican State Central Committee to call upon the voters of the Republican party in West Virginia to assemble at a convention to be held at Grafton, on the 23rd day of May next, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of choosing delegates to the National Republican Convention, to be held at Philadelphia, on the 23rd day of June next, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may then seem appropriate. The Committee urge upon the Republicans of the State the importance of a full attendance at the State Convention.

The Committee recommend that in each county, unless other arrangements are made by the Executive Committee, the County Convention be held at the Court House, on Saturday, the 11th day of May next, to choose delegates to the State Convention. That each County Convention fill any vacancies that may exist in the County Executive Committee, so that a full list of the Committee may be reported at the State Convention.

C. W. B. ALLISON,  
Chairman State Executive Committee.  
Wheeling, March 29, 1872.

FIRMS have been raging this week in the woodlands around Board Tree Tunnel.

THE Parkersburg Gazette has been purchased by Col. J. M. JACKSON. Price, \$1,005.

THE steam saw mill of Messrs. MAISON & ULLUM, on Church's Fork, Wetzel county, was burned last week.

THE Moundsville Reporter advocates Mr. J. M. HAGANS, of Morgantown, as Republican candidate for Governor.

THE Jefferson county Republicans, in this County Convention, adopted a resolution expressing their confidence in their Congressman, Hon. JAS. C. MCGREW, and favoring his re-nomination.

THE first number of the Clarksburg Sun has been issued. In the typography and general make up it is the best specimen of a weekly paper that has ever reached our table from a West Virginia office. We trust the enterprising publishers may be able to sustain themselves at the standard of excellence with which they set out.

THE Register affects to think it a grave inconsistency that we should now want the people in voting the railroad and bridge subscriptions to improve conditions on council, when a few months ago it opposed the imposition of conditions by the Legislature in regard to the terminus of the road. There is no inconsistency at all. The conditions in the two cases rest on totally different grounds. We thought the building of a bridge impracticable, and that if it were made a prime condition the whole undertaking was at an end. The contrary has not yet been shown. But we wanted this matter of the terminus left with the people of the city. We thought roads coming to the Island might be secured with their aid, and did not want the Legislature to forbid them the privilege of voting whether they would and such enterprise or not. If that had been allowed, we should have expected, of course, that when we came to vote for or against such subscription, it would have been with proper restrictions on council as to the payment of the money to the companies, just as we asked for them in the present case. The condition imposed by the Legislature, requiring a bridge to be built, has greatly enlarged the undertaking and rendered it all the more necessary to proceed cautiously.

We are gratified to find our neighbor rendering valuable assistance in pressing on the public attention the fact that a leading issue before our people in the railroad and bridge election is: Whether the people can implicitly trust the City Council in the matter of turning over to the railroad company and bridge corporations (no company being organized) the \$300,000 which Council asks to have placed in their hands for this purpose, without the most ordinary checks on their action.

The Register may not be quite correct in saying it is a question which "directly affects the private integrity and honor" of councilmen. It seems to us rather to involve the public integrity and honor of that honorable body, which to municipal bodies generally proves a very different commodity from the private article. It may not in all cases be a question of integrity and honor at all, but of discretion, judgment and intelligence. In cases where members of council are also members of one of the corporations, it might be a question of delicacy. Just how plentiful that article is in council it is not for us to say. If councilmen are as thick-skinned as the Register over this issue, which it insists on pressing, then we can only suggest that they might have spared themselves some of their present distress by simply putting into the ordinances a few conditions like those proposed by Mr. HANDLAN and Governor STANTON, limiting their discretion and anticipating the present want of confidence.

GREENBACKS TO PAY DUTIES.—The House of Representatives on Friday took an important step in its work of tariff amendment by modifying existing laws so as to make one-third of the customs duties payable in legal-tender notes. This, at recent rates of premium for gold, is equivalent to a reduction of from 3 to 4 percent of the duty levied, and added to the 10 percent "horizontal reduction," which was adopted by both Houses of Congress for many of the more heavily taxed articles, now promises to give more relief to consumers than appeared at one time probable. This action of the Committee of the Whole has yet to be acted on by the House, and afterwards by the Senate.

DANIEL DREW has given over one million dollars to the Methodist Church, and now adds another magnificent gift to that body. At Carmel, his native place, he proposes to found and endow the New York Conference Seminary, giving ample grounds and elegant stone buildings large enough to accommodate 300 pupils. It is stated that he intends to endow a seminary for the New York East Conference at Stamford, Conn.

## Annual Meeting of the West Virginia State Teachers' Association.

The annual meeting of the West Virginia State Teachers' Association will be held at Fairmont on the 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th days of June next. Arrangements have been given by the leading citizens of Fairmont that ample arrangements will be made for the free entertainment of all the teachers and friends of education who may attend. Arrangements have already been made with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, by which all persons attending the meeting of the Association will be returned free to the points upon the road from which they started. The committee hope also to effect a like arrangement with the steamboats.

A number of distinguished practical educators of national reputation from abroad will certainly be present. Among them the celebrated elocutionist, Robert Kidd, of Indiana, Professor Forney, of Pennsylvania, and probably Prof. E. White, of Ohio, and Dr. B. Sears, Agent of the Peabody Fund, Virginia. Besides these his Excellency Gov. John J. Jacob, and the leading educators of our own State, including numbers of teachers engaged in our Free Schools, and the Principals and Professors in our higher institutions of learning, will take part in the meetings. The programme of exercises will be so arranged that an opportunity will be afforded each day by which all the teachers who desire to do so can participate in the proceedings.

A cordial invitation is extended to all the teachers and friends of education throughout the State to attend this meeting of the Association. No pains will be spared to make it both instructive and entertaining, and to give its proceedings such a character as will advance the cause of education in our State.

W. E. STEVENSON, Chm'n.

## Special Notices.

## BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

## Laughlin's Infant Cordial.

## THE CHILD'S CURE WHEN TEETHING.

To Relieve Pains, Cholic, Wakefulness, &amp;c.

Such is the popularity of this Remedy, that it has induced some unprincipled persons to counterfeit it, using the name of Laughlin's Infant Cordial, and thus depriving the true and honest purchaser of the benefit of the original. The only genuine Laughlin's Infant Cordial is prepared by LAUGHLIN BROTHERS & CO., and is sold by all Druggists and Grocers.

## ENTERPRISE BAKING POWDER.

We desire to call the attention of the trade generally, and of Housekeepers and Hotel Proprietors particularly, to the above brand of Baking Powder, which we guarantee to be

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To families and consumers, we give the assurance that the "ENTERPRISE BAKING POWDER" will prove fully equal, if not superior, to any other Baking Powder that they have heretofore used.

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The money refunded in all cases when the "ENTERPRISE BAKING POWDER" does not give entire satisfaction.

Sold by Grocers and Druggists everywhere.

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Wheeling, W. Va.

## BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE.

This superb Hair Dye is the best in the World. Perfectly Harmless, as reliable, as instantaneous. No disappointment. No irritating tints, no unpleasant odor. The genuine W. A. Bachelor's Hair Dye produces a rich, natural, and splendid Black or Natural Brown. Does not stain the skin, but leaves the Hair Clean, soft and beautiful. The only safe and reliable. Sold by all Druggists. Factory 16 Bond Street, New York.

## ON MARRIAGE.

HAPPY RELIEF FOR YOUNG MEN from the effects of Errors and Abuses early in life. Manhood restored. Nervous debility cured. Impediments to Marriage removed. Safe and reliable treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and Circulars sent free in sealed envelopes. Address: BOWEN ASSOCIATION, No. 2 South Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa. ap194w

## OPENING OF

## French &amp; American Flowers

TO-DAY AT

## MENDEL &amp; DUNAWAY'S.

## FOURTH WARD SCHOOL PIC-NIC.

This School will hold their annual Pic-nic at Crespi's Grove, on

THURSDAY, May 23.

The steamer James Rees will leave foot of Monroe street at 10 o'clock, for the picnic. Mr. J. Ziegenfeller will furnish the refreshments. Music on the ground. Tickets—Adults, 50c; children, 30c. my185a W

## ST. JAMES HOTEL,

(LATE DAILEY'S CITY HOTEL.)

This Hotel changed hands on the 1st inst. Mr. Dailey retiring. It is now conducted by the company owning the property, and the traveling public may rest assured that the same pains will be spared to make the ST. JAMES just what the city of Wheeling has long needed.

## A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL

in every respect. The house is now undergoing a thorough renovation and repair; a large addition is being made to the far and the bedding, table, ware, cutlery and silver are all new.

The company invite a trial of the house and can assure a public patronage, confident of their ability to render entire comfort and satisfaction to their guests.

An Omnibus will carry passengers from the Eastern end of the Suspension Bridge to the ST. JAMES HOTEL free of charge.

ST. JAMES HOTEL, CO.

Wheeling, May 18, 1872. my16

## CLOCKS.

We are in receipt of a large and varied stock of one and eight day clocks, spring and weight, also full line of American and Foreign Watches, Jewelry, Spectacles, Silver Ware, &c.

OXTON &amp; DUFFIELD.

101 Market St., below 3rd Gate House.

## HENRY K. LIST,

## WOOL AND PIG IRON

## Commission Merchant,

No. 33 MAIN ST.,

WHEELING, W. VA.

Cash Advances made on Consignments.

## PIG IRON.

75 TONS "BELFON" FOUNDRY,

For sale at lowest rates by

## NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Proposals are requested for the stone and brick work and carpentry of the Catholic Church to be erected in Ritchietown.

For information apply at the Cathedral.

Locust point, 5 feet long, still needed. my17

## J. S. FAIRFAX,

## ARCHITECT AND SUPERINTENDENT.

Office—Changle Block, Market St., Wheeling, W. Va., and 21 N. St., Zanesville, O.

Special attention given to Public Buildings, &amp;c.

## New Advertisements.

## WANTED—

AT McLUKE HOUSE,

ONE GOOD GERMAN BELL BOY.

my30

## UNDERTAKING.

G. MENDEL, BOOTH &amp; CO.,

136 MAIN STREET.

Keep constantly on hand a good assortment of Food and Metallic Coffins, Cases and Caskets. All orders promptly attended to. Goods furnished when desired.

## SPRING MATTRESSES.

Also Mattresses made of Hair, Moss, Cotton,

Blank or Kieselguhr. Also,

THE NEW ELASTIC SPRINGS.

Pillows and Bolsters of the same, at

HUBBARD &amp; BROS.,

my30 Furniture Rooms, 50 and 52 Market St.

## BLUE LICK WATER.

A large consignment direct from the Springs,

just received and for sale by the Glass, Galton or Barrel, at

E. BOCKING'S PHARMACY.

my30 No. 1 Odd Fellow's Hall.

## A Trip to California

Can be made by buying one of those beautiful

## Japanese Silk Dresses

or a

## Plain Black or Fancy Silk,

AT A LOW PRICE.

Also your choice of the new styles of Grenadine, Fancy and Plain Piques, Dolly Varden, and all descriptions. Bishop and Victoria Lawns, Nainsooks, Swisses, Jaconets, Organdies, Paris Malles, Fine Ribbons, &amp;c., &amp;c., all put down to prices which defy competition.

## Ready-Made Suits,

Bleached and Brown Mellins, Shootings, Table Linens, Towels, Crapes, Ribbons, Gimp, Silk and Silk Laces, Nilsson and Grand Duchesse Kids (warranted), Hosiery at 10 and 12 1/2 per pair—in fact a full line of anything necessary to take a Summer Trip.

Jeans, Cottonades, Casimeres, Cloths, &amp;c., for Men and Boys. A full stock to be sold low.

With those desirable bargains will please give us a fair trial.

## John Roemer &amp; Co.,

No. 102 MAIN STREET,

## Grand Central City Hall

PITTSBURGH, PA.

## JULY 4, 1872,

## \$30,000 WORTH OF PROPERTY

## To be Given Away.

300 Beautiful Building Lots

## AT OAKDALE STATION.

TICKETS.....\$1.00.

At conclusion of the Concert, the Manager will distribute 300 BUILDING LOTS to the ticket holders in the usual manner, but HONESTLY AND IMPARTIALLY.

These Lots belong to Mr. S. GILLILAND, of Pittsburgh, Pa., whose title to the same is indisputable, and being situated convenient to the city, will make excellent and pleasant homes for the working man and mechanic. These Lots are increasing in value daily. A rich six-foot vein of Bituminous Coal underlies this property. A large house is open and in good working order. This bank, which gives full access to the coal underneath, will be given away, with the Lot on which it is situated. The Coal, valued at 15c. per bushel, is worth \$10,000. A neat five-story House is also situated on this property, and with the outbuildings, will be given away with the Lot on which it is built. A valuable piece of land, known, thriving and prosperous town, and at present contains an Academy Female College, Main House, Park, and other buildings. A large number of handsome dwelling houses and taken together, is a desirable place for industrial working men to settle.

CLUB PREMIUM.—To the getter up of a club of thirty, a handsome Silver Watch will be given. To the getter up of a club of twenty, Five Tickets will be given. To the getter up of a club of ten, Two Tickets will be given. To the getter up of a club of six, One Ticket will be given.

The following named gentlemen, well-known and prominent citizens of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, have permitted us to refer to them. They will vouch for the honesty and integrity of the enterprise: Hon. James Blackmore, Mayor of Pittsburgh, and President of the Mechanics Savings Bank; Benjamin Singler, State Printer; H. Munson Purcell, Editor and Publisher of the Allegheny Post; J. C. McLaughlin, Editor of the Pittsburgh Courier; J. W. Taylor, Cashier City Bank, 115 Fifth Avenue, Treasurer.

GEORGE H. SHANAFELT,

General Manager.

General Office, 71 Third Avenue, Pittsburgh.

Persons remitting money must send by Registered Letter or P. O. Order. my30M. Thaw

## LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING

unclaimed in the Post Office at Wheeling on Monday, May 20, 1872.

To obtain any of the following, the applicant will please call for advertised letters, giving the date of this list.

## LADIES' LIST.

Allen C. B.

Bitter Julian

Boyd Ada

Cavanagh Margaret

Carroll Rebecca

Carpenter Mary

Cole Anna L.

Crawford M.

Crowder M.

Cree Agnes R.

Disney Caroline

Drake Mary J.

Eaton Mary J.

Edwards Zeph

Fisher Clara

Fisher Mary

Graham Elizabeth

Hearn Annie

Hess Sadie

## GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Armstrong R. P.

Amphibion G.

Amel George

Anderson W. A.

Bloom Fred

Baker John

Baker John

Burdet O.

Cree Agnes R.

Crawford M.

Crowder M.

Cree Agnes R.

Disney Caroline

Drake Mary J.

Eaton Mary J.

Edwards Zeph

Fisher Clara

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Graham Elizabeth

Hearn Annie

Hess Sadie

## The West Va. Hoopskirt Factory

AND LEADING CORSET HOUSE.

THE GREEN FRONT,

122 Main Street.

## COHN SAMPLINER &amp; CO.

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## FOUNDRY &amp; MACHINE WORKS.

T. G. CULBERTSON, W. W. WILEY, GEO. W. WILKINSON, J. GREEN.

CULBERTSON, WILEY &amp; CO.,

Manufacturers of Portable and Stationary Steam Engines, Mill Machinery, Pumps, Reaping and Hoisting Machine Castings.

my1 MARTIN'S FERRY, O.

## NOTICE.

Frances Stevenson retired from the firm of Stevenson &amp; Co., April 1st. The business will be continued under the old firm name at No. 1 west side Main street, near Stone Bridge.

ap15 STEVENSON &amp; CO.

## JOHN HEALY,

BENWOOD, W. VA.,

## New Advertisements.

## Concert and Ball!

BY THE

## HARMONIE SOCIETY.

On Monday Evening, the 20th Inst.

AT THE TURNER HALL.

The honorable members and the public in general are respectfully invited to attend.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; commence at 8 o'clock. Admission 5c.

H. REUBEN, H. HASTEN, C. KRAUS, Committee.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CITY OF WHEELING, May 11, 1872.

On the FIRST DAY OF JUNE, 1872, Polls will be opened in the several wards of the city of Wheeling, at the places herein mentioned for the purpose of taking the sense of the persons qualified to vote for Mayor of said city upon the question whether they will authorize a subscription to be made by the Council of the city of Wheeling, in the name and on behalf of said city, to the capital stock of "The West Virginia and Lake Erie Railroad Company," in an amount not to exceed the sum of three hundred thousand dollars. The polls will be opened on the 1st day of June at nine o'clock at the following places, viz: In the First ward, at the Vigilant Engine House; In the Second ward, at the Second Ward Market Hall; In the Third ward, at the Court House; In the Fourth ward, at the Atlantic Engine House; In the Fifth ward, at the Guards House; In the Sixth ward, at the United Engine House; In the Seventh ward, at Leisen's Grocery; In the Eighth ward, at the Public School House; And closed at 7 o'clock P. M. The voting to be by ballot. The person voting for subscription shall have written or printed upon his ballot "For subscription to the capital stock of the West Virginia & Lake Erie Railroad Company," those voting against, "No subscription to the capital stock of the West Virginia & Lake Erie Railroad Company."

The said vote shall be taken under the supervision of such persons as his Honor the Mayor shall appoint. H. F. FLETCHER, City Clerk.

## Fine Glass Ware!

CUT, PRESSED AND ENGRAVED.

## New and Choice Patterns

## ORDERS FOR ENGRAVING RECEIVED AT

## F. C. WINSHIP &amp; CO'S,

No. 34 MONROE STREET.

## Sign of the Big Pitcher.

## INCOME TAX NOTICE.

Notices is hereby given that the United States Income Taxes for the year 1871, and the Special Tax on Dividends for the year ending May 31, 1872, assessed within and for the county of Ohio and State of West Virginia, will be due and payable to me at my office, Custom House, Wheeling, on

MONDAY, the 27th day of May, 1872.

If said taxes are not paid on or before the 6th day of June, 1872, the penalties prescribed by the Revenue Law for non-payment, will be imposed.

Taxes assessed within other counties of the First Collection District, West Virginia, may be paid at my office at any time from and after the 15th day of May.

B. F. KELLEY, Collector.

WHEELING, May 7, 1872. my7

## PICTURE CORD.

250 BOLTS PICTURE CORD,

Assorted colors, soft finish and With Wire.

25 Gross Picture Nails,

Assorted sizes and colors. For sale by

E. L. NICOLL,

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## New Style Photographs!

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## "The Green Front"

AHEAD OF ALL IN

Richly Trimmed and Fine Fitting

Ladies' Undergarments

OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE.

SPECIALTIES FOR THIS WEEK.

100 Dozen Chemises at 75c to \$1.00.

100 Dozen Skirts at 75c to \$1.00.

40 Dozen Nightgowns at \$1.25 to \$1.75.

## FULL SETS.

Unequaled for Splendor of Design